

Well, the dwindling power of the FCC is showing its face once again.

Pappas Telecasting Companies' 'donation' of \$325,000 in airtime to their favorite candidates is nothing more than a rape of the public's airwaves, which are a sacred trust the FCC is sworn to protect.

As a concerned citizen and true owner of those airwaves, I'd like to see the FCC start doing something about this. We need Equal Time laws returned to the books. We need public debate before reissuing licenses to these abusive media conglomerates. We need strong antitrust measures in place to keep our stations local.

I can only pray that the FCC proposes strong new legislation, and that some of our national legislators have the guts to move it forward.

In the meantime, I hope you can yank every single one of Pappas's licenses.